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SUBJECT: LOST PACKAGE OF RESEARCH MATERIALS

STATE FOR CU/EE; LENINGRAD FOR P&C

1. REQUEST DEPARTMENT ASSISTANCE IN TRACING LOST PACKAGE OF RESEARCH MATERIALS MAILED FROM MOSCOW VIA APO IN JULY TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR JOHN P. MCKAY, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, URBANA, ILL. ALL INDICATIONS ARE THAT PACKAGE REACHED POSTAL SYSTEM IN NEW YORK AND WAS THEN DAMAGED OR BROKEN UP. A SMALL PART OF MATERIALS WAS RE-WRAPPED BY FOREIGN MAIL REWRAPPING CENTER, JERSEY CITY, N.J., AND SENT TO A PROFESSOR OF MCKAY'S WHOSE ADDRESS HAD BEEN ON LETTER AMONG MATERIALS. DISPOSITION OF BALANCE OF MATERIALS UNKNOWN. MCKAY HAS INITIATED CHECK WITH NEW YORK DEAD LETTER OFFICE, TO WHICH HE WAS REFERRED TO JERSEY CITY CENTER.
2. IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF DEPARTMENT COULD CHECK WITH BOTH OFFICES AND ANY OTHER SOURCE U.S. POSTAL AUTHORITIES MIGHT SUGGEST TO SEE WHAT FURTHER MIGHT BE DONE TO LOCATE THESE IRREPLACEABLE MATERIALS. REMAINDER CONSISTED OF BIBLIOGRAPHY CARDS, MICROFILM ROLLS, INVENTORIES OF WORK DONE IN LENINGRAD, SMALL NUMBER OF BOOKS IN RUSSIAN, AND NOTES AND DIARIES IN ENGLISH REGARDING RESEARCH HERE. MORE DETAILED DESCRIPTION WILL BE SENT.

3. ADVISE BY CABLE IF ANYTHING FURTHER CAN BE DONE.

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